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**Attn: Application Processing Division,
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Re: U.S. Continuation-in Part Patent Application
Appl. No.: 08/646,520; Filed: May 7, 1996
For: **A Recirculation Method for Cleaning Essentially Intact Bone Grafts
Using Pressure Mediated Flow of Solutions and Bone Grafts Produced
Thereby**
Inventor: Lloyd Wolfinbarger, Jr.
Our Ref: 152-116P-SHK

Sir:

The following documents are forwarded herewith for appropriate action by the U.S. Patent and Trademark Office:

1. Supplemental Declaration, executed by the inventor; and
2. Return post card.

It is respectfully requested that the attached post card be stamped with the date of filing of these documents, and that it be returned to our courier.

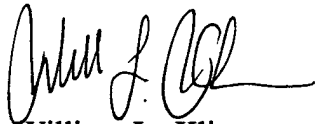
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of the present patent application, then such extensions of time are hereby petitioned, and any fees therefor are hereby authorized to be charged to our Deposit Account No. 11-1243. A duplicate copy of this letter is enclosed.

Respectfully submitted,

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A handwritten signature in dark ink, appearing to read "William L. Klima", written in a cursive style.

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